



PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Paul O. Sheppard, Laura J. Jelinek
Serial No. : 10/082,502
Group Art Unit : 1642
Examiner : Nickol, G.B.
Filed : October 19, 2001
For : MAMMALIAN SECRETORY PEPTIDE - 9
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-mentioned application. The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Extra Rate	Fee
Total	10	-20	0	\$9.00	\$000.00
Independent	3	- 9	0	\$42.00	\$000.00
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$140.00	\$000.00
				Total	\$000.00

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge any required fee to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2002, please extend the period for response one month, to expire on February 18, 2003. A Petition and Fee for Extension of Time is enclosed.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1, 2, and 4-15 without prejudice.

Please replace claim 3 with the following amended claim:

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3. (amended) The polynucleotide of claim 19 wherein the polypeptide is fused to a carrier polypeptide or other carrier molecule.

Please add the following new claims: